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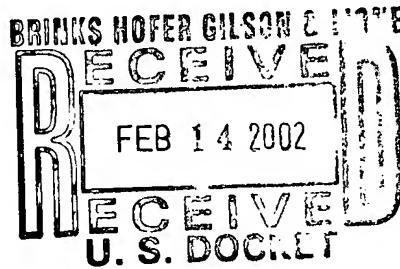


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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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Case No. 10541/396  
(V200-0690)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

J. WILLIAM WHIKEHART ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/040,857

Attention: Manager,  
Application Branch

Filed: December 28, 2001

For: BEAMSTEERING CONTROL  
SYSTEM FOR A VEHICLE  
RADIO RECEIVER

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION  
FILING DATE GRANTED**

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Attn.: Box Missing Parts

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted dated February 7, 2002, a copy of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are the following documents:

- Fully executed Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application.
- Applicant is:

a small entity, verified statement is:

attached

already filed

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Petition for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)) to file missing parts (in duplicate).

Other: Assignment and Assignment Recordal, Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 and 7 cited references.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge all fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 02/27/02

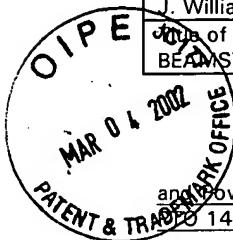


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Serial No. 10/040,857	Filing Date December 28, 2001	Examiner Not Assigned	Group Art Unit 2821
Inventor(s) J. William Whikehart et al.			
Title of Invention BEAM STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM FOR A VEHICLE RADIO RECEIVER			



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Transmitted herewith is Response to Notice to Missing Parts (in dup.), Copy of Notice of Missing Parts, Declaration and Power of Attorney (6 Pages), Assignment (2 Pages), Assignment Recordal, Information Disclosure Statement (in dup.), Serial No. 10/040,857, Filing Date December 28, 2001, Application Number 10541/396, Group Art Unit 2821, Inventor(s) J. William Whikehart et al., Title of Invention BEAM STEERING CONTROL SYSTEM FOR A VEHICLE RADIO RECEIVER, and return post card.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
- No additional fee is required.
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- I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 06-1500. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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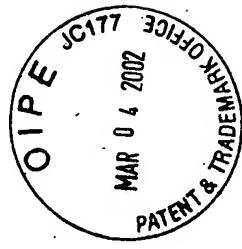
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